

# Application for 2018 Ship-In and Racing Privileges



PLAINRIDGE PARK  
CASINO

**Submit completed applications to:**  
 Plainville Gaming & Redevelopment, LLC  
 Plainridge Park  
 Paul Verrette, Racing Secretary  
 301 Washington St.  
 Plainville, MA 02762  
 (508) 576-4485

For Race Office Use
Application Approved _____
Date _____

**\*\* APPLICATIONS DUE April 16, 2018\*\***

<u>Horse Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Gait</u>	<u>Name of Owner/MA Bred/Owned</u>

Additions to this application must be submitted to and approved by the Racing Secretary.  
 The Race Office will be using a text messaging service for notifications. Please sign up for this messaging service.

Trainer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Best Contact # (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ MRC License # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Stabling Location of Above Horses:**  
 Name of Farm/Training Center: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note:**  
 ALL HORSEMEN MUST HAVE A SIGNED 2018 RACING APPLICATION FORM ON FILE WITH RACING OFFICE PRIOR TO QUALIFYING OR RACING AT PLAINRIDGE. ***Do not enter horses for qualifying or racing until officially accepted by Racing Office.*** Plainridge requires a valid Negative Coggins Test through 11/30/2018 to be on file or presented prior to entering grounds. Additional health requirements may be requested at any time.

**TRAINER SIGNING BELOW MUST ACKNOWLEDGE AND RESPOND:**

- 1. All horses listed on this application are and remain under the complete care, management and responsibility of the Trainer. Agreed: \_\_\_\_\_ (initial)
- 2. Since January 1, 2013, has Trainer had a horse scratched or penalized due to a high pre-race or post-race blood gas or TCO2 reading or high cobalt reading? Circle one: Yes No
- 3. Since January 1, 2011 has Trainer been charged with any other racing medication violation or rules violation that carries a penalty of more than 15 days and/or \$1000? Circle one: Yes No
- 4. Has Trainer ever been arrested or convicted of a racing-related crime, or arrested or convicted in relation to any conduct that occurred on the grounds of any racetrack? Circle one: Yes No

If the answer to any of Questions 2-4 is YES, please attach additional documentation explaining the response.

For ALL personnel who will be working for Trainer at Plainridge at any time, please provide the following:

Name	Position	MGC License #
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**NOTE: The Racing Office must be advised of any changes to this personnel roster prior to additional personnel working at Plainridge**

**PLEASE READ ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS CAREFULLY**

In consideration of the privileges of paddock space being allotted to Trainer by Plainville Gaming and Redevelopment, LLC ("Plainridge"), as well as entry in any races, the Trainer signing below agrees, for him/herself and with respect to all of the horses, owners of horses, guests and personnel named above, to accept and be bound by the terms and conditions set forth below. Any failure to observe the requirements set forth above and below will subject Trainer to immediate termination of paddock and racing privileges, and removal from Plainridge property, in addition to any other rights and remedies provided at law or in equity.

**Terms and Conditions**

- 1. Trainer acknowledges that Plainridge reserves the right, at its sole discretion and without notice at any time:
  - a) to refuse paddock space or access to any applicant for any reason; b) to revoke and terminate any privileges for paddock space at Plainridge; c) to refuse permission to enter and to race horses at Plainridge; and d) to refuse to any person or animal (whether or not listed on any application) access to the Plainridge paddock or barn area(s) area, racing areas or any other grounds of Plainridge for any reason.
- 2. Trainer agrees that, prior to entering the grounds, or entering any horse for racing at Plainridge, Trainer will furnish or have on file the results of a negative Coggins test through 11/30/2018, and other equine health related documentation that may be requested by Plainridge from time to time, to ensure the safety of all race participants.
- 3. Trainer represents that every horse being entered to race or qualify by Trainer will have a valid electronic eligibility certificate through the U.S. Trotting Association (USTA) before being entered. Horses entered in claiming events are eligible to be claimed under the claiming rules and regulations. Owners authorization of horses entered into and participating in claiming races is assumed upon entry and validated by starting in any claiming event.
- 4. Trainer agrees that passes issued by Plainridge are for the personal use of the pass holder, are not transferable and valid only for the period(s) as designated by Plainridge.
- 5. Trainer may utilize only the paddock stalls designated by Plainridge. All horses shipping in must report to their assigned stall(s.)
- 6. Trainer agrees to be governed by and to obey the rules of racing of Massachusetts Gaming Commission (MGC), the USTA and, while on Plainridge premises, the rules and regulations of Plainridge. Trainer and his/her personnel (and owners) are subject at all times to the Penn National Gaming, Inc. Racing Guide (as adopted by Plainridge) and any local guide and regulations promulgated and amended by Plainridge from time to time. Trainer is responsible for learning and complying with all of these applicable rules and for ensuring compliance by all of Trainer's personnel, owners and guests.
- 7. If Trainer or any of Trainer's personnel plans to exercise, train or race a horse on the racetrack, each must agree to and sign the Plainridge "Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement." The completed agreement must be filed with the Racing Office prior to any use of the Plainridge track.
- 8. Trainer acknowledges and accepts that activities associated with training or racing, or any other equine-related activities occurring at Plainridge, are inherently risky. Risks include permanent injury and even death. Trainer agrees that he or she is assuming the risk of participating in such activities, and Plainridge bears no responsibility or liability for injuries arising out of activities at Plainridge.
- 9. Trainer agrees to indemnify and hold Plainridge and its affiliated companies (including parent and subsidiary companies), and all of their members, landlords, directors, officers, shareholders, agents and employees ("Plainridge Affiliates") harmless from all losses, costs, damages, liabilities, expenses (including reasonable attorney's fees and expenses of any nature), due to or arising out of or in connection with Trainer's activities at Plainridge, or arising in connection with any acts, conduct or negligence of Trainer, his or her employees, owners, guests or persons or animals under his or her charge or control. Trainer releases Plainridge and Plainridge Affiliates from and against all claims of injury or loss by or on behalf of Trainer, his or her employees, owners, guests or any persons under his or her charge or control.
- 10. Private veterinarians, other than the designated Lasix veterinarian, are not permitted to practice on the grounds of Plainridge on race dates unless approved in advance by the Judges. All Lasix administration must be done on-site and by the Plainridge designated Lasix Veterinarian. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- 11. Only individuals aged 16 or older, licensed by the MGC, and who have an interest in a horse competing on that race date, may enter the paddock area of Plainridge. MGC licenses must be available at all times and subject to inspection.
- 12. All individuals and horses entering the grounds of Plainridge must be signed in.

**I have read and understand the Terms and Conditions above. By signing below, I request the use of paddock space and racing privileges at Plainridge — and I agree to comply with and be bound by the terms and conditions set forth above, and to ensure compliance on behalf of all persons who are named in this application or who are signed into any racing area at Plainridge under my name. Any false or misleading information provides herein will result in loss of all paddock space and racing privileges at Plainridge.**

TRAINER: (Print Name): \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entering of any race (including qualifiers) or use of paddock space is not permitted until this application is approved in writing on page 1 above.**